

Hempfield Church of the Brethren



SERVICE OF *Remembrance*

January 22, 2012
10:15 AM



- † **Welcome to HCOB!** If there is anything that we can do to make your visit here more comfortable or you have any questions please feel free to approach any member of our church family or the greeters at the welcome table in the lobby.
- † **Large print hymnals and bulletins** are available on the narthex table. Please return the hymnals to the narthex table following the service.
- † **Difficulty hearing the service?** Small earpieces are available to allow you to control the volume. Stop by the sound booth before the service to try one out!
- † **We have a special gift to give you** after the service. If somehow we miss you, please tell one of the ushers, and we will make sure you receive a gift.
- † **Sunday School** for all ages is held at 9:00 AM. We offer a variety of small group classes for adults and age-appropriate classes for every child.
- † **We offer two Sunday AM worship services: a traditional service at 8:00** and a **“blended” service at 10:15** with a mix of contemporary and traditional elements.
- † **Please sign the guest register** when it passes by you (your name, address & phone number, please) so that we can let you know how much we appreciate your visit with us today.

Hempfield COB Vision

Firmly rooted and living deeply in the character of Christ to become a healthier church that powerfully shares Christ with the world.



☆This Week: January 22-29☆

TODAY	Remembrance Sunday
MONDAY	6:30 P.M. Sr. High Cell Group
TUESDAY	7:00 P.M. Leadership Team
WEDNESDAY	6:00 A.M. Ladies' Prayer Breakfast 5:30 P.M. Connections 6:00 P.M. Younger Youth Cell Group 7:00 P.M. Sanctuary Choir
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M. Traditional Service 9:00 A.M. Sunday School 10:15 A.M. Blended Service Pastor Geoff Davis Preaching "Mission Impossible?" Luke 10:1-20 11:30 A.M. Youth Missions Lunch Fundraiser

☆Future Dates to Keep in Mind☆

February 2—Monthly Prayer Experience

February 12—58: The Film

February 15—Herald Deadline

February 17-20—Youth Winter Retreat

February 25—Healthy Eating Seminar

February 26—Youth Missions Breakfast Fundraiser



You're Invited:
Sunday, February 12, 2012 at 7:00pm

Join us in the Hempfield Church of the Brethren Sanctuary as we partner with HOPE International to share a community viewing of

58: The Film

Based on the principles of fasting in Isaiah 58, this joint initiative between organizations such as Compassion International, HOPE International, International Justice Mission, and World Relief, amongst others, seeks to eradicate extreme poverty in the world within the next generation.

Please plan to join us as we spend time seeing how we can unite under Christ to make the dream of ending extreme poverty a reality.



CLOTHING DRIVE--The holiday rush is over and as you plan to put new items away in your closets why not use this time to start bagging up those gently worn clothing items that you will no longer be wearing and share them with others in need. The Evangelism Team is once again sponsoring a clothing drive to assist the Lancaster County Council of Churches. Over the next several weeks please bring your bags of gently used clothing and place them in the far stairwell at the side entrance of the church. The deadline for this event will be by Feb. 5th 2012. Thank you for sharing with others in need.

SENIOR HIGH YOUTH GOING TO SUMMER MISSIONS TRIP AND THEIR PARENTS: There will be a brief meeting immediately after church in Chapel Hall to receive information about this summer's senior high missions trip and to review the necessary steps.

DO YOU ENJOY VISITING? We are looking for persons to serve on a **Visitation Team** and give assistance to the deacons. If you are interested and would like more details, contact Wes Bowers (867-1435), Ruth Johnson (569-2430) or Lois Killian (560-9429).

FOOD BANK NEEDS FOR JANUARY: Tuna, Kidney beans, Peanut butter, Canned pasta, Spaghetti sauce. Please put items in the coatroom and they will be taken to the food bank on the 4th Sunday.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PROVIDE FLOWERS for the altar table in the coming year please sign up for a Sunday on the chart in the outer office.

ARE YOU A CAREGIVER? Please join us on February 7 at 7:00 PM when the deacons will be hosting a presentation to address end of life issues and how caregivers can be supportive and effective during times of illness. A DVD will be shown featuring Dr. Fuchs and Curtis Dubble telling the touching and powerful story of the Dubble's family experience as Curtis' late wife Anna Mary suffered from brain damage following a heart attack.

ADDRESS FOR MARY BETH FISHER during BVS orientation (Jan 29 - Feb 17 only): c/o BVS Unit 296, Camp Ithiel, 2037 Hempel Avenue, Gotha FL 34734

THE FAMILY OF MILLY LEHMAN THANKS YOU for your support and prayers.

MY DEAR CHURCH FAMILY:

Thank you for allowing Frank and me to be away these several weeks in a warmer climate. It is so much better for his heart and my asthma. I do miss playing the organ and accompanying our good choir; but, barring any problems we are returning mid-March to see all your friendly smiles again. We think of you often and pray that all goes well in my absence. We thank you for the fruit box delivered at Christmas. May the Lord watch over you and me (us) while we are absent one from the other! --Your Organist, June Lantz

OUR SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS are extended to the family of Helen Landis upon her death on January 17. A memorial service will be held here at the church on Sunday, January 29 at 2:00 PM.

GRACE BRUBAKER WILL BE 101 ON JANUARY 27, 2012! Please celebrate God's goodness with her on this special occasion.

HCOB YOUTH NEWS

- ★ Sr. High Cell Group— Monday 6:30-8:00 PM at Dum's home
- ★ Younger Youth Cell Group—Wednesday 6:00-7:30 PM at Church
- ★ Youth Mission Fundraising Lunch—Sunday, Jan. 29, after church
- ★ Youth Winter Retreat at Montrose Bible Conference—Feb 17-20. Please get \$40 deposit and permission slips to Kent by Feb 6.
- ★ Farm Sale Fundraiser @ Musser's Farm—Saturday, March 10

Healthy Hints from our Congregational Health Team

To counter corn syrup's bad rap, food marketers are touting fancy soft drinks and snack foods made with "real cane sugar". But are they any better than their shelf-mates? No, says Christine Gerbstadt, MD, a spokesperson for the American Dietetic Association. "Extensive research shows there's no difference among the common sweeteners when it comes to increasing obesity, hunger, or metabolic syndrome (obesity + high cholesterol + high blood sugar) she says. So limit those sweet treats no matter what gives them a sugary kick.

What do you do on a Wednesday evening?

You are invited to the church
beginning Jan 18th for...



Connections

Come as you are and be
part of the family of Christ.

Weekly Schedule

5:30-6:00 Dinner will be provided for the entire family
(coordinated by Janice Haldeman)
\$2.00 for each adult
\$1.00 for children 3-12
FREE for children under 3

*or talk to Janice about preparing a meal one of the
weeks and you will eat free for the other 10 weeks!

6:00-7:00 Connection Groups (Grade 1-adult)
★ The Me I Want to Be (Ortberg) book study
by Pastor John Layman
★ Beginning Guitar Lessons by Sarah Barger
★ Hand Quilting by Deb Bendit
★ Beginning Crochet by Lois Dewar
★ Lego Mania by Nate Dum and Alex Troxell
★ Clicker Training for You and Your Dog
by Amy Smith
★ Jewelry Making and More!
by Linda and Heather Carper

6:00-7:00 Little Connectors (3 years-kindergarten)

6:00-7:00 Child Care (infant-3 years)

*For more information or to sign up call the church office,
email Jen at jen@hempfieldcob.org or sign up at the
Connections table in the narthex.

We hope to see you there!!!

Remembered In Love...

Today, we wish to remember the following individuals who have deeply touched our lives. These special people went to live with our loving Lord this past year. They continue to be greatly missed.

With reverence, we remember...

Jesse Greenawalt Jr.

Elaine Hildebrand

Stanley Hosler

Donald Keperling

Delmar Landis

Melvin Metzler

Edith Mumma

Lavina Musser

Paul Neff

Scott Nissley

Nancy Rannels

Portia Ritchey

Dottie Shelley

Nancy L. Zeamer

Sam Zurin

☆Today's Worship Service☆

PRELUDE Hymn Selections

WELCOME—GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP (*responsive*)

Leader: Today we stand beside saints in the making

People: Yesterday we stood by those who now live as saints in light.

Leader: Tomorrow may be our turn to take our place among them.

People: While we live, we live to the Lord.

Leader: When we die, we die to the Lord.

People: So then, whether we live or whether we die,

All: We are the Lord's!

*HYMN I Am Thine, O Lord 505

*INVOCATION PRAYER

SCRIPTURE SELECTIONS

SPECIAL MUSIC Going Home Sanctuary Choir

TIME OF REMEMBRANCE

Introduction

Reading of Names & Lighting the Candles

A Litany of Remembrance

Leader: In the rising of the sun and in its going down,

People: We remember them.

Leader: In the blowing of the wind and in the chill of winter,

People: We remember them.

Leader: In the opening of buds and in the rebirth of spring,

People: We remember them.

Leader: In the blueness of the sky and in the warmth of summer,

People: We remember them.

Leader: In the rustling of leaves and in the beauty of autumn,

People: We remember them.

Leader: In the beginning of the year and when it ends,

People: We remember them.

Leader: When we are weary and in need of strength,

People: We remember them.

Leader: When we are lost and sick at heart

People: We remember them.

Leader: When we have joys we yearn to share

People: We remember them.

All: So long as we live, they too shall live, for they are a part of us, as we remember them.

HYMN For All the Saints 636 (v. 1, 2, 7, 8)

SHARING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory Thought

Offertory—Shine on Us Janelle & Daphne Witmer

(Please sign the attendance book during the offertory)

SPECIAL MUSIC Midnight Cry Sanctuary Choir

MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Please include the following people in your prayers:

Betty Aulhouse, Glenn Brubaker, Ned Harms, Richard Heagy,
Mary Ellen McEvoy, Doug Nauman, Jaynelle Troxell, Brenda Wright
and the Families of Helen Landis, Milly Lehman and Jeff Peters

SCRIPTURE LESSON Romans 16:1-16

MESSAGE Calling the Roll Down Here!

*HYMN Bless'd Be the Tie That Binds 421

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE Great Is Thy Faithfulness

**Those who are able are invited to stand.*

Preacher—Pastor John Layman; Pianist—Daphne Witmer
Video Tech—Derek Witmer; Sound Techs—Matt Markey & Rich Bushong
Sanctuary Choir Director—Barry Carper

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TABLE are presented by Curtis & Ruth Johnson to the honor and glory of God.

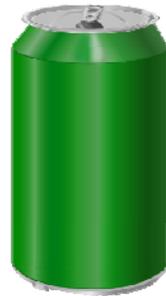
WE WELCOME VISITORS TODAY who join us for this special Remembrance Sunday. We pray that you will be blessed as we worship together.



your way of living

Soda Cans for Service Dogs

By bringing your empty cans to church...



You Can Help



...bring independence & better quality of life to individuals with disabilities.

Join us in our campaign to help United Disabilities Services (UDS) provide affordable service dogs to individuals with disabilities. Please bring your empty beverage cans to church and deposit them in the recycle bin outside the gym entrance. Contact Amy Smith in the church office with any questions.

☆Contact the Church Office☆

Amy Smith - *Administrator*

Phone: 898-0181; E-mail: office@hempfieldcob.org; Fax: 898-0403

Website: www.hempfieldcob.org

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 A.M. to 2:00P.M

☆Contact Church Staff☆

Our pastors are here to help when you need them. Although the pastors will not be in the church office on their scheduled days off, please feel free to contact them at the phone numbers below if you have an emergency need.

John Layman – *Senior Pastor*

Home: 892-4972; Cell: 468-9594; E-mail: john@hempfieldcob.org

Scheduled Day Off: Mondays

Kent Rice – *Pastor for Special Ministries*

Home: 560-3523; Cell: 723-6197 E-mail: kent@hempfieldcob.org

Scheduled Day Off: Fridays

Geoff Davis – *Associate Pastor*

Home: 569-6284; E-mail: geoffdtuba@verizon.net

Jen Statler – *Children's Ministry Coordinator*

Home: 898-9762; E-mail: jen@hempfieldcob.org

☆ Bulletin Deadline☆

All bulletin information must be in to the church office by Wednesday noon.

☆HCOB Family Facts☆

Attendance for January 15, 2012

Sunday School: 108 Traditional Service: 58 Blended Service: 234

Giving for January 15, 2012

General Offering: \$8,776.78 Building Fund Year-To-Date: \$342.50
Amount needed weekly to meet budget = \$9,687